Docket No.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Shinji KOMATSU

SERIAL NO: 09/961,137

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EXAMINER: HARMON, C.

FOR:

PACKAGE BAG AND PACKAGING DEVICE

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a two month extension of time be granted to June 27, 2004 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated: January 27, 2004.

 responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:

 filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.

 responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:

 filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.

 filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$420.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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